## **CLAIMS**

## We claim:

- 1. Polymorph Form III of N-methyl-N-(3- $\{3-[2-thienylcarbonyl]-pyrazol-[1,5-<math>\alpha$ ]-pyrimidin-7-yl}phenyl)acetamide.
- 2. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph exhibits a predominant endotherm at about 191°C as measured by as measured by a TA 2920 Modulated Differential Scanning Calorimeter (DSC) at a scan rate of 10°C per minute.
- 3. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph exhibits an X-ray powder diffraction pattern having characteristic peaks expressed in degrees  $2\theta$  (+/-  $0.2^{\circ}\theta$ ) at 18.9 and 28.1.
- 4. The polymorph Form III of claim 3 wherein the polymorph exhibits an additional characteristic peak expressed in degrees  $2\theta$  (+/-  $0.2^{\circ}\theta$ ) at 10.2.
- 5. The polymorph Form III of claim 4 wherein the polymorph exhibits additional characteristic peaks expressed in degrees  $2\theta$  (+/-  $0.2^{\circ}\theta$ ) at 13.3, 20.7, 22.2 and 30.8.
- 6. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph exhibits an X-ray powder diffraction pattern as shown in Figure 2.
- 7. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph exhibits a single crystal x-ray crystallographic analysis at 150°K with crystal parameters as the following:

Space Group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /n
a, Å	9.5887(3)
b, Å	10.3985(4)
c, Å	17.5807(7)
α	90

β	96.8044(14)
γ	90
Z (molecules/unit cell)	4
Calculated Density (g/cm)	1.436

- 8. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph exhibits a Raman FT Infrared spectrum as shown in Figure 3.
- 9. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph contains less than 2% by weight total impurities, less than 1% by weight water, and less than 0.5% by weight organic solvent.
- 10. The polymorph Form III of claim 1 wherein the polymorph contains less than 1% by weight total impurities, less than about 0.75% by weight water, and less than 0.4% by weight residual organic solvent.
- 11. A composition comprising polymorph Form III of N-methyl-N- $(3-\{3-[2-thienylcarbonyl]-pyrazol-[1,5-<math>\alpha$ ]-pyrimidin-7-yl}phenyl)acetamide.
- 12. The composition of claim 11, further comprising N-methyl-N-(3-{3-[2-thienylcarbonyl]-pyrazol-[1,5- $\alpha$ ]-pyrimidin-7-yl}phenyl)acetamide in a crystalline, solvate or amorphous form other than polymorph Form III.
  - 13. The composition of claim 11 further comprising polymorph Form I.
  - 14. The composition of claim 11 further comprising polymorph Form II.
- 15. A composition comprising polymorph Form III of N-methyl-N-(3-{3-[2-thienylcarbonyl]-pyrazol-[1,5- $\alpha$ ]-pyrimidin-7-yl}phenyl)acetamide in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

- 16. The composition of claim 15 wherein the composition is formulated for oral administration.
- 17. The composition of claim 16 wherein the composition is in the form of a pill, capsule or tablet.
- 18. The composition of claim 15 wherein polymorph Form III is present in the pill, capsule or table in a unit dosage form in an amount from 0.1 to 250 mg.
- 19. A composition comprising (a) polymorph Form III of N-methyl-N-(3-{3-[2-thienylcarbonyl]-pyrazol-[1,5- $\alpha$ ]-pyrimidin-7-yl}phenyl)acetamide ("Compound 1") and (b) a crystalline, solvate, amorphous or other form of Compound 1 other than polymorph Form III, wherein the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition is the sum of (a) plus (b).
- 20. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 0.1% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 21. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 0.5% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 22. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 1% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 23. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 2% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.

- 24. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 5% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 25. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 10% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 26. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 20% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 27. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 30% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 28. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 40% by weight of polymorph Form III based on the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 29. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises less than 50% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 30. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 50% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 31. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 60% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.

- 32. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 70% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 33. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 80% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 34. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 90% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 35. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 95% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 36. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 97% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 37. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 98% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 38. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 99% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 39. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 99.5% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.

- 40. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition comprises at least 99.9% by weight of polymorph Form III based upon the total weight of Compound 1 in the composition.
- 41. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition is in the form of a pill, capsule or tablet.
- 42. The composition of claim 19 wherein the composition is in the form of a slurry.
- 43. A method for treating insomnia in a patient in need thereof, comprising administering to the patient an effective amount of the composition of claim 15.
- 44. A method for inducing sleep in a patient in need thereof, comprising administering to the patient an effective amount of the composition of claim 15.
- 45. A method for inducing sedation or hypnosis in a patient in need thereof, comprising administering to the patient an effective amount of the composition of claim 15.
- 46. A method for inducing skeletal muscle relaxation in a patient in need thereof, comprising administering to the patient an effective amount of the composition of claim 15.